

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
AT GREENEVILLE

CHARLES DENNIS KITTS,)	
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Petitioner,)	
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v.)	Nos. 2:14-CV-294-JRG
)	2:11-CR-58-JRG-2
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Before the Court is a pro se motion to vacate, set aside, or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 filed by Charles Dennis Kitts (“Petitioner”) [Doc. 70]. The government filed an initial response on December 24, 2014 [Doc. 75] and Petitioner replied on both January 15, 2015 and July 6, 2015 [Docs. 76, 78]. During pendency of the action, Petitioner has filed a supplement to his original petition [Doc. 83], a motion requesting appointment of counsel [Doc. 82], and two motions requesting an evidentiary hearing [Docs. 84, 86]. In his supplement, Petitioner cites the United States Supreme Court’s decision in *Johnson v. United States*, 135 S. Ct. 2551 (2015), as a novel ground for collateral relief [Doc. 83]. Accordingly, the United States is **ORDERED** to file a response addressing all of the foregoing motions within thirty (30) days of entry of this order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/J. RONNIE GREER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE